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SECRETARIAT OF THE MADRAS LEGISLATURE.
(Assembly Section).

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Mohamed Raza Khan Sahib Bahadur, M.L.A.

Question No. 47.

Will the Honourable the Premier be pleased :

(a) to give a list of cities, towns, distric hospitals, roads, institutions, and Government buildings wh names have been changed by the Madras Government with their new names after 15th of August 1947;

(b) the reasons for changing the names; and

(c) whether the Government invited any opinion from the public before changing the names?

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PUBLIC (ELECTIONS) DEPARTMENT.

A N S W E R:

The answers is annexed.

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for Additional Secy. to Govt.

To the Secretariat of the Madras Legislature
Copy to the Personal Assistant to the Hon. Premier.
Copy to the Public (Elections) Department.

(The above answer has been approved by the Hon'ble the Premier).

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ANNEXURE.

Institutions whose names have been changed.		Reasons for change.	whether the opinion of the public was invited.
Previous name. 1.	Present name. 2.	3	4
KILVALUR	KILVELUR	The changes, except in the case of Keelamangalam and Cohin, were ordered on the ground that the old spelling was a corruption due to the influence of the English language In the case of Keelamangalam, the change to Jayamangalam was ordered as the objection to Keelamangalam and in the case of Cochin, the change of Fort Cochin was ordered at the instance of the Cochin Municipality so as to distinguish it from the Cochin State. The changes were made on the recommendation of the Collector concerned and the Board of Revenue. The Collectors made such local inquiries as they considered necessary. The Government did not invite any opinion from the public before ordering the change.	
SHIYALI	SIRKALI		
TIRUVIDAMARUDUR	TIRUVIDAIMARUDUR		
*TIRUTURAIPUNDI	TIRUTIRAIPUNDI		
*ARANTANGI	ARANTANGI		
*TOPPUTHURAI	TOPPUTHURAI		
NEGAPATAM	NAGAPATTINAM		
KARIAPATNAM	KARIYAMPATTINAM		
ADIRAMPATNAM	ADIRAMPATTINAM		
ANATANDAVAPURAM	ANANDATANDAVAPURAM		
SERMADEVI	CHERNMAHADEVI		
CONJEEVARAM'	KANCHEEPURAM		
BIKSHANDARKOVIL	BICCHANDARKOVIL		
TRICHINOPOLY	TIRUCHIRAPPALLI		
MINAKSHIPURAM	MEENATCHIPURAM		
*MAHADANAPURAM	MAHADANAPURAM		
BEZWADA	VIJAYAVADA		
KEELAMANGALAM	JAYAMANGALAM		
COCHIN	FORT COCHIN		
MAYAVARAM	MAYURAM		
COCANADA	KAKINADA		
ELLORE	ELUR		
KISTNA (District & River)	KRISHNA		
PTAM(suffix in some villages)	PATTINAM (Tamil) PATNAM (Telugu)	In some cases the proposal emanated from a municipality, the representative of the local public.	

* The change is only in the Tamil Spelling.

1	2	3	4
Poondi Reservoir	Satyamurthi Sagar	On a resolution of the Copporation of Madras recommendàng the change of name.	
Banqueting Hall, Mount Road	Rajaji Hall	On a suggestion made at the Rajaji's 70th Birthday Celebrations at a public meeting held on 14-12-47.	
Ardmayle, Adyar	Tiruvarangam, Adyar	An Indian name was given as suggested by the Hon'ble for Food to whom the building has been allotted as residence.	
Kintyre, Adyar	Mohana, Adyar	Indian name given as suggested by Hon'ble Minister for Public Works who is occupying the building.	
Ripley, Adyar	Vijaya Vihar, Adyar	Name changed as desired by the Hon'ble Minister for Finance who is occupying the bunglow.	
Victoria Caste and Coasha Hospital	Kasturba Gandhi Hospital for Women and Children.	Old name considered ànappropriate at the present time and admission is not restricted to caste and gosha women only.	

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